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Ms. Melba Sprague
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Dear Ms. Sprague:

Thank you for your recent letter concerning the tuition tax credit bill.

Be assured that I am aware of the strongly held views on both sides of the issue, and I shall continue to carefully study the matter. At this time, I desire to see further action taken to reduce the deficit before giving consideration to tuition tax credits. If and when this bill comes before the Senate, I will certainly keep your recommendations in mind.

I appreciate having the opportunity to benefit from your views. Any time you have comments or concerns on legislation, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With kindest regards and best wishes,

Sincerely,

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